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Memorandum for hr. Dulles

Subject: Revision of Intelligence Paragraphs of NSC 136 (Iran)

- 1. As I mentioned to you on Friday evening, the Board of National Estimates felt that paragraphs 2 3 of the new draft could be improved and brought more fully into line with BIE-75, particularly in the enumeration of factors of instability. Accordingly, the Board has prepared the attached revisions, and I have drafted a proposed letter of transmittal for your signature.
- 2. I shall be available at any time to discuss this, and also to give you the Board's views on some of the detailed points discussed at the Senior Staff meeting.

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